

PAPAL CONCLAVES.

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and finger. He then kneels and prays for a moment, after which he takes oath that

to God, he thinks ought to be elected; he then takes the ticket on the paten and slips it from thence into the chalice, which he covers up. Then he makes anew a reverent bow before the altar and returns to his place. If the cardinal is infirm and cannot walk, one of the scrutators goes to his place to receive the ticket on the paten, after the cardinal has taken the prescribed oath. If he is sick, in his call three cardinal apostles, who have purpose for his call, will stand close by him, and will give him their vote and bring it in person to the chapel. When all the cardinals have voted, the three scrutators, who are chosen by each day for a week, will then carry the chalice covered with the paten to the middle of the chapel. They turn the

them and commence the scrutiny. The first scrutator takes a ticket and opens it, and

been in a loud voice the name of the cardinal written thereon, and passed the ticket on to the second scrutator, who reads it in the same way, and passes it on to the third. The third scrutator proclaims in a loud voice the name inscribed on each ticket as *cardinal elect*, and as he does this the cardinals, who are all seated in their places, with a printer before them on pulpit, and the ticket on the same stand, raise the voices obtained by each cardinal, and the third scrutator files; the ticket as he receives them in on a string, any cardinal has received two-thirds of the votes of those present to concur he, he is Pope.

Cornhill Magazine.

RELIGION OF THE GIPSEY.

In Spain the gipsies profess the Roman Catholic religion. But they not only do not veneration themselves, but they do not even reverence the saints, but entertain an extraordinary contempt for it in other respects. They usually profess the religion of the country in which they sojourn, as they appear to have; none of their own. In England formerly they sought burial in remote and lonely places. But now they are everywhere, and the Christian clergy, who trace the origin of the gipsies to the traces of the older feeling still lingered and are not extinct. Traces of religion very real sense are seen among the Romany. When a man is dead, in their practical belief there is an end of him. Mr. Borrow tells us of a famous gipsy, named *Elly Bowser*, who, in his palmy days, having been a soldier, was a gipsy, and had a sword and a whip with silver. He rode a wild-bird in Scotland and a fur cap with a gold band. He died poor, though his wives (for he possessed two) could make as much as £100 in a month by fortune-telling. When he died his children stole his pony and his sword, and buried him in a grave, but they did not bury his sword, and made a hole in the ground, and made a hole in the ground, into which they threw all his possessions, and dashing all his valuables to pieces, set fire to the whole and buried him under a bridge. They pay great respect to the dead; thus they will freely give up any indulgence, such as drinking, smoking, or any other pleasure, when they are about to die. In Germany their most sacred oath is by the dead; but they never mention their names. They have a superstition, of burying things of value with the corpse. But there are instances not a few under such teaching as that of the *Roman James Crabbe*, of gipsies becoming soldiers, and dying in the ranks. In Spain the women profess to conjure and to speak to the devil, but this is usually only practiced with a view to extortion. A favourite device is to persuade some lady who has quarrelled with her lover to give her gipsy confidant a handsome article belonging to the faithless one. In a corner she drops a few words, and the lady comes to cold moulders. Then the gipsy offers to take it to the churchyard at dead night, and raise the devil. The lady who doubtless is greatly frightened when the time comes to accompany her, in which case she never sees gipsy or gold again. An English woman mentioned by Mr. Borrow, who was a gipsy, and had a dream that she was in heaven, which she described "as a large garden full of fine art foliage," which does not show any very elevated conception of a future state. Neither do they care to inquire into the truth of Christianity. A faint belief in a great god and a little god, and a little god, "that has a dream that he is the little god," represents their theological notions as far as it can be gleaned. In England, at any rate, some of them know of Redeemer's name, and pay Him homage after their fashion. On Christmas-day, for instance, they make their gift of new shoes for they say that "they have heard of the pine never told where our Lord was hidden."

HONGKONG MARKETS.

COTTON GOODS.		
Common Shirtings	12 lbs.	per piece \$2.50 to 3.50
Common Shirtings	12 lbs.	per piece 3.50 to 4.50
Common Shirtings	12 lbs.	per piece 4.50 to 5.50
Cotton Ties	No. 10 to 9	per piece 1.00 to 1.07 1/2
Cotton Ties	No. 10 to 9	per piece 1.12 to 1.19
Cotton Ties	No. 8 to 4	per piece 1.18 to 1.30
Cotton Ties	No. 8 to 4	per piece 1.30 to 1.50
Cotton Ties	No. 8 to 4	per piece 1.50 to 1.75
Spotted Shirtings	12 lbs.	per piece 1.75 to 4.00
Do, Herdies	Do.	3.75 to 4.00
Do, Herdies	Do.	5.00 to 6.00
English Shirtings	10 yds.	3.00 to 3.50
English Shirtings	10 yds.	3.50 to 4.00
English Shirtings	15 lbs.	3.00 to 3.15
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	1.75 to 1.90
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	1.90 to 2.05
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	2.15 to 2.25
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	2.25 to 2.45
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	2.45 to 2.65
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	2.65 to 2.85
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	2.85 to 3.05
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	3.05 to 3.25
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	3.25 to 3.45
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	3.45 to 3.65
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	3.65 to 3.85
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	3.85 to 4.05
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	4.05 to 4.25
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	4.25 to 4.45
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	4.45 to 4.65
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	4.65 to 4.85
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	4.85 to 5.05
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	5.05 to 5.25
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	5.25 to 5.45
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	5.45 to 5.65
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	5.65 to 5.85
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	5.85 to 6.05
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	6.05 to 6.25
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	6.25 to 6.45
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	6.45 to 6.65
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	6.65 to 6.85
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	6.85 to 7.05
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	7.05 to 7.25
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	7.25 to 7.45
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	7.45 to 7.65
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	7.65 to 7.85
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	7.85 to 8.05
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	8.05 to 8.25
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	8.25 to 8.45
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	8.45 to 8.65
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	8.65 to 8.85
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	8.85 to 9.05
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	9.05 to 9.25
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	9.25 to 9.45
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	9.45 to 9.65
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	9.65 to 9.85
English Shirtings	8 lbs.	9.85 to 10.05

Minerals, White, Plain; 13 yards, per piece	1.16	1.25
Figured; 24 "	2.08	2.25
Turkey Red Rhinings; 2 lbs.	2.16	2.25

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Vessels.	Captains.	Flags & Bats.
Abbotsford	E. Patterson	Brit. str.
Argyll	E. Scott	Brit. str.
Asia	Pateau	French str.
Bombay	H. C. Smith	Brit. str.
Bowen	Thomas Park	Brit. str.
Braemar Castle	Marshall	Brit. str.
Brighton Castle	J. Greig	Brit. str.
City of Exeter	Gorley	Brit. str.
Florida	M. Connolly	Amer. str.
Danube	Clasbey	Brit. str.
Douglas	E. Burgie	Brit. str.
Fame	Geary	Brit. str.
Finn	D. Torro	Dan. str.
Genio	W. B. Kilday	Brit. str.
Hindustan	T. S. Gardae	Brit. str.
Iohann t.	D. Martin	Brit. str.
Kan-Kang	Clary	Brit. str.
Kan-Kang t.	Morton	Brit. str.
Mecca	Johnson	Brit. str.
Naples	J. J. Flinn	Brit. str.
Norden	Jensen	Dan. str.
Oxfordshire	C. F. Jones	Brit. str.
Perambour	W. Byde	Brit. str.
Powen	A. Bennett	Brit. str.
Quang Sa	G. B. Jones	Brit. str.
Riga	J. M. Clarke	Brit. str.
Sir J. J. Jefferibhor	Wm. B. Whiting	Brit. str.
St. Gall	A. Mourier	Dan. str.
St. Gall t.	de Girard	French str.

White Clouds	T. B. Hennig	Brit. a
Tot-sai	W. Kentwell	Brit. a

Abbey Cowper	James Nelson	Brit.
Alden Beese	Allen Noyes	Amer.
Anna Bolla	Wm. Stephen	Brit.
Anna Gray	Mrs. Wiles	Brit.
Bodie	Wiesenberg	Ger.
Bos Oaso	O. Lange	Dan.
Charley Oak	Smith	Amer.
Christian	E. Scher	Ger.
Christina A. P.	E. Dagna	Nice.
Dora	M. F. Loucarava	Span.
Edward James	T. J. Forbes	Amer.
Fanny	Bugall	Fren.
Forward	Struchan	Brit.
Franz	Hildebrandt	Prus.
F. H. Drem	W. Varas	Span.
Gilroy	T. T. With	Slam.
James Vincicombe	J. MacPheerson	Brit.
Jonathan Chase	Curtis	Aust.
John Svercord	P. A. Pederson	Nor.
Louise Marie	L. Olaus	Fren.
Marquise	R. Howes	Brit.
Marion	R. Howes	Brit.
Marquise of Argyle	McKoon	Brit.
Mary Whitledge	Outler	Amer.
Minna	J. Thiersa	Ger.
Mollie	Abraham	Ger.
Ningalad	Palmer	Amer.
Nomi	Angot	Fren.
N. M. d' Auxilatrice	Jagoret	Fren.

Sydenham	F. Bristow	Brit.
Villa de Rivadavia	Camus	Span.
W. H. - D. B. -	Blanchard	Amr.

Yarra	Orford	Brit.
		Br.
Class: John Adam	C. Rowe J. H. Grimes	Fow. Hulk.
H.M.'s SHIPS IN		
Name.	Rig.	Gun.
Audacious	double sq. frigate	17
Charybdis	steam corvette	14
Onion	double sq. gun vl.	7
Desart	double sq. gun vl.	4
Egeria	double alop.	4
Ely	double sq. gun vl.	4
Froile	double sq. gun vl.	4
Groveler	double sq. gun vl.	4
Hart	double sq. gun vl.	4
Himalaya	troopship	2
Hornet	double sq. gun vl.	4
Kestrel	double sq. gun vl.	4
Lapwing	double sq. gun vl.	4
Lily	gunboat	—
Monroe	military hospital	—
Midge	double sq. gun vl.	4
Modeste	steam corvette	14
Mosquito	gunboat	—
Bingdove	double sq. gun vl.	2
Swinger	double sq. gun vl.	2
Byrra	double sq. gun vl.	4
Thalia	steam corvette	6
Thistle	double sq. gun vl.	14
Victor Emanuel	receiving ship	2
Wiglat	dispatch vessel	—
H.M.'s SHIPS IN T		
Name.	Rig.	Gun.
Immortalit	Frigate	28
Topaze	Frigate	23
Narcissa	Frigate	23
Newcastle	Frigate	31
FOREIGN MEN		
Name.	Nation.	
Arlinda	German cor.	
Abuelofo	Amer cor.	
Gydebo	German g.b.	
Herttha	German cor.	
Palas	Amer. g.-boat	
Yantio	Amer. soc.	

Woolen Goods.

Knits, 7 Hrs.	per pair	\$2.70	3.80
		2.00	2.05

0 lbs.	3.70	8.00
10 lbs.	4.85	8.10
20 lbs.	5.10	8.20
30 lbs.	5.35	8.30
40 lbs.	5.60	8.40
50 lbs.	5.85	8.50
60 lbs.	6.10	8.60
70 lbs.	6.35	8.70
80 lbs.	6.60	8.80
90 lbs.	6.85	8.90
100 lbs.	7.10	9.00
110 lbs.	7.35	9.10
120 lbs.	7.60	9.20
130 lbs.	7.85	9.30
140 lbs.	8.10	9.40
150 lbs.	8.35	9.50
160 lbs.	8.60	9.60
170 lbs.	8.85	9.70
180 lbs.	9.10	9.80
190 lbs.	9.35	9.90
200 lbs.	9.60	10.00
210 lbs.	9.85	10.10
220 lbs.	10.10	10.20
230 lbs.	10.35	10.30
240 lbs.	10.60	10.40
250 lbs.	10.85	10.50
260 lbs.	11.10	10.60
270 lbs.	11.35	10.70
280 lbs.	11.60	10.80
290 lbs.	11.85	10.90
300 lbs.	12.10	11.00
310 lbs.	12.35	11.10
320 lbs.	12.60	11.20
330 lbs.	12.85	11.30
340 lbs.	13.10	11.40
350 lbs.	13.35	11.50
360 lbs.	13.60	11.60
370 lbs.	13.85	11.70
380 lbs.	14.10	11.80
390 lbs.	14.35	11.90
400 lbs.	14.60	12.00
410 lbs.	14.85	12.10
420 lbs.	15.10	12.20
430 lbs.	15.35	12.30
440 lbs.	15.60	12.40
450 lbs.	15.85	12.50
460 lbs.	16.10	12.60
470 lbs.	16.35	12.70
480 lbs.	16.60	12.80
490 lbs.	16.85	12.90
500 lbs.	17.10	13.00
510 lbs.	17.35	13.10
520 lbs.	17.60	13.20
530 lbs.	17.85	13.30
540 lbs.	18.10	13.40
550 lbs.	18.35	13.50
560 lbs.	18.60	13.60
570 lbs.	18.85	13.70
580 lbs.	19.10	13.80
590 lbs.	19.35	13.90
600 lbs.	19.60	14.00
610 lbs.	19.85	14.10
620 lbs.	20.10	14.20
630 lbs.	20.35	14.30
640 lbs.	20.60	14.40
650 lbs.	20.85	14.50
660 lbs.	21.10	14.60
670 lbs.	21.35	14.70
680 lbs.	21.60	14.80
690 lbs.	21.85	14.90
700 lbs.	22.10	15.00
710 lbs.	22.35	15.10
720 lbs.	22.60	15.20
730 lbs.	22.85	15.30
740 lbs.	23.10	15.40
750 lbs.	23.35	15.50
760 lbs.	23.60	15.60
770 lbs.	23.85	15.70
780 lbs.	24.10	15.80
790 lbs.	24.35	15.90
800 lbs.	24.60	16.00
810 lbs.	24.85	16.10
820 lbs.	25.10	16.20
830 lbs.	25.35	16.30
840 lbs.	25.60	16.40
850 lbs.	25.85	16.50
860 lbs.	26.10	16.60
870 lbs.	26.35	16.70
880 lbs.	26.60	16.80
890 lbs.	26.85	16.90
900 lbs.	27.10	17.00
910 lbs.	27.35	17.10
920 lbs.	27.60	17.20
930 lbs.	27.85	17.30
940 lbs.	28.10	17.40
950 lbs.	28.35	17.50
960 lbs.	28.60	17.60
970 lbs.	28.85	17.70
980 lbs.	29.10	17.80
990 lbs.	29.35	17.90
1000 lbs.	29.60	18.00
1010 lbs.	29.85	18.10
1020 lbs.	30.10	18.20
1030 lbs.	30.35	18.30
1040 lbs.	30.60	18.40
1050 lbs.	30.85	18.50

SHIPPING IN TH

<i>Vessels.</i>	<i>Consignees.</i>	<i>Destinations.</i>
HONGKONG.		
STEAMERS.		
649	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
271	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Singapore, &c.
930	Simmons & Co	Saigon
740	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Yokohama
844	Guth, Livingston & Co	Australia
1418	Adams, Bell & Co	
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727	Hop Koo	
781	P. M. S. S. Co	Yokohama, &c.
515	Yuen Fat Hong	Bangkok
254	D. L. D. & Co	East Coast
116	H. K. & W. D. Co	Tug Flying
900	Yuen Fat Hong	
2662	O. & S. S. Co	Yokohama, &c.
951	D. S. S. S. S. S. S. & Co	Singapore, &c.
700	Benardine & Sairy	
1050	H. C. & M. Steamboat Co	
1061	H. C. & M. Steamboat Co	
687	Hop Koo	
1425	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
778	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
1425	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
643	Moloch & Co	
1890	H. C. & M. Steamboat Co	
1425	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Yokohama, &c.
979	Hop Hong	
124	Rock & Co	
1537	Wm. Fustin & Co	Saigon
1507	Messageries Maritimes	

652	H. O. & M. Steamboat Co	
180	Kwok Acheong	
180	Kwok Acheong	Island

between Hongkong and Canton; between Macao and Hongkong.		
MAILING VESSELS.		
689	Vogel, Hagadorn & Co	
692	Rozario & Co	Honolulu
694	Borneo Co. Limited	Manila
524	Rossini & Co	Victoria
526	Reiss & Co	
340	Chinese	
263	Vogel, Hagadorn & Co	New York
289	Ed. Schellhaus & Co	Hainpung
775	Orles	
62	H. Kier	
529	Rossini & Co	Forlind
1189	Lundsten & Co	Osaka, &c.
748	Rossini & Co	Victoria
748	Franks & Co	Saigon
330	Wm. Pustak & Co	Saigon
448	Thak Hse & Co	
639	Borneo Co. Limited	Takao
692	Vogel, Hagadorn & Co	San Francisco
183	Franks & Co	Bangkok
333	Lundsten & Co	Tientsin
364	Vogel, Hagadorn & Co	San Francisco
826	Olyphant & Co	Tientsin
300	Chinese	
802	Russell & Co	San Francisco
802	Wm. Frost & Co	Keebung
320	Arnold, Karberg & Co	Hainpung
722	Russell & Co	San Francisco
747	Carlowitz & Co	Manila, &c.
390	Order	

1062	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co	San Francisco
261	Braúno & Co	Manila
809	Mantor	

463 Order.	
VINGE Vassallo & Bennett.	
238	Harbour Master
318	Water Police
CHINA SQUADRON.	
Captain.	Where At.
Captain P. H. Colomb	Hongkong
Captain T. E. Smith	Shanghai
Comdr. R. J. Chavell	Chafco
Comdr. Hon. Dawson	Yokohama
Comdr. W. M. Oatiss	Hainan Island
Comdr. John Bruce	Singapore
Comdr. C. E. Bruckle	Hongkong
Comdr. W. Stewart	Tientsin
Comdr. P. H. Boyas	Rankow
Captain W. Grant	En route to Calcutta
Comdr. M. Hippesley	Kuikuan
Comdr. Theobald	Hongkong
Comdr. Sir Wagon	Pootung
Capt. Coghlan	Singapore
Capt. Coghlan	Hongkong
Comdr. H. G. Samuel	En route to Kobe
Captain A. Buller	Singapore
Lieut. G. Paul	Amy
Capt. Singleton	Singapore
Lieut. Comr. Bolitho	Nagasaki
Captain C. John	Nagasaki
Capt. H. B. Woodhouse	En route to Hongkong
Capt. P. E. Birling	Hongkong
Commodr. A. E. Parib	Hongkong
Lieut. H. O. D. Ryder	Hongkong

FLYING SQUADRON.

Tons.	^{and} Captain.
3,994	Francis Hume
2,955	Arthur G. Thwing
2,543	Lord G. T. M. S. Scott
1,620	H. G. Douglas

Gun.	Captain.
6	Kubie
6	E. O. Matthews
6	Van Baskin
19	Thurs
6	W. R. Bridgman
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White	2.10	2.30
Green	2.50	2.75
	1.80	1.85

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Tons	Consignment.	Destination.
WHAMPOA.		
SAILING VESSELS.		
863	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co	New York
268	Carlsonitz & Co	Tientsin
421	Simson & Co	Flintan
DANTON.		
814	Samson & Co	Shanghai
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river between Cheung-chow and		On West Co
MAUJO.		
In port on 14th April, 1876.		
80	H. C. & M. Steamboat Co	Laid up
140	H. C. & M. Steamboat Co	

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	SWATOW.		
	<i>In port on 12th April, 1876:</i>		
	417	Bradley & Co	
	360	Dicks & Kruger	Bangkok
	386	Dicks & Kruger	Chefoo
	276	E. Gerton	
	459	F. Vincent & Os	Newchwang
	388	E. Vincent & Os	Taku
	350	Dicks & Kruger	Chefoo
	AMOY.		
	<i>In port on 11th April, 1876.</i>		
	591	Dawser & Co	
	337	O'Brien	
	320	Boyd & Co	
	235	Boyd & Co	
	215	Boyd & Co	
	250	Pesadang & Co	
	221	Town & Co	
	198	Boyd & Co	
	FOOOCHOW.		
	<i>In port on 8th March, 1876.</i>		
	62	Chinese	
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	693	Chinese	Shanghai

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887	Frazier & Co
358	Lane, Crawford & Co
308	Wm. Furtak & Co
454	Weeks & Co
235	Erast Tammyer
347	Rothwell, Love & Co
253	Weeks & Co
340	Russell & Co
378	Stevenson & Co
290	J. S. Baron
432	Heard & Co
399	Heard & Co
248	Heard & Co
846	W. S. Maclean

YOKOHAMA.

In port on 1st April, 1876.

230	F. Knoblauch
325	F. Knoblauch
630	O. & Co
445	H. Abrens & Co
60	O. Kirby & Co
737	E. Fisher & Co
339	Smith, Baker & Co
126	Waleh, Hall & Co
330	Captain
1309	Messageries Maritimes
301	Clayman, Slone & Co
473	Order
185	E. O. Kirby & Co
606	Order
330	Order

628	E. Fisher & Co
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MANILLA.		
Imported on 4th April, 1878.		
1940	Smith, Bell & Co	London
678	Pease, Hubbell & Co	New York
1458	Smith, Bell & Co	New York
861	Kerr & Co	New York
677	T. Hermann & Co	New York
3	P. Reyes	
1846	Smith, Bell & Co	New York
1004	Smith, Bell & Co	New York
678	Smith, Bell & Co	Baltimore
925	T. Hermann & Co	Liverpool
821	Smith, Bell & Co	San Francisco
1036	Inchausti & Co	
925	Smith, Bell & Co	New York
953	Kerr & Co	Boston
253	J. M. Tusson & Co	
422	Pease, Hubbell & Co	
518		

H. Ball, 7, Graham Street, Hongkong.